Exhibit A To Registration Statement Under the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended

Privacy Act Statement, Every registration statement, short form registration statement, supplemental statement, exhibit, amendment, dissemination report, copy of political propaganda or other document or information filed with the Attorney General under this act is a public record open to public examination, inspection and copying during the posted business hours of the Registration Unit in Washington, D.C. One copy is automatically provided to the Secretary of State pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act, and copies of such documents are routinely made available to other agencies, departments and Congress pursuant to Section 6(c) of the Act. Finally, the Attorney Genreral transmits an annual report to the Congress on the Administration of the Act which lists the names of all agents and the nature, sources and content of the political propaganda disseminated or distributed by them. This report is available to the public.

Public Reporting Burden. Public reporting burden for this collection of information is estimated to average .49 hours per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information. Send comments regarding this burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including suggestions for reducing this burden to Chief, Registration Unit, Criminal Division, U.S. Department of Justice, Washington, D.C. 20530; and to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, Washington, D.C. 20503.

> Furnish this exhibit for EACH foreign principal listed in an initial statement and for EACH additional foreign principal acquired subsequently.

1. Name and address of registrant	address of registrant Meredith Concept Group, Inc. 110 North Royal Street, Suite 300 Alexandria, VA 22314		2. 1	Registration No.
3. Name of foreign principal Societe Nationale d'Etude et de Construction de Moteurs d'Aviation			4. Principal address of foreign principal 2 Boulevard General Martial Valid 75724 Paris Cedex 15, France	
5. Indicate whether your foreign p	rincipal is one of the following type:			
☐ Foreign government				
☐ Foreign political party				
Foreign or 🗆 domestic organ	nization: If either, check one of the foll	owing:		
☐ Partnership	□ Comm	ittee		
Corporation	□ Volunt	tary group		
☐ Association	□ Other	(specify)		
☐ Individual—State his nationa	lity			
6. If the foreign principal is a foreign	gn government, state:		· ·	
a) Branch or agency represente	d by the registrant. N/A	% S <sup>2</sup>	7	
b) Name and title of official wit	) A	MINAL SPI	RECEI	4. M
7. If the foreign principal is a foreign	gn political party, state:	S C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C	5	
a) Principal address N/A		; 27 9£ 9£	:	
b) Name and title of official wit	h whom registrant deals. N/A			
c) Principal aim N/A			~	

8. If the foreign principal is not a foreign	government or a foreign political party,		
a) State the nature of the business or a	activity of this foreign principal		
Design, develop and produc	ce commercial and military airc	craft engines.	
b) Is this foreign principal			
Owned by a foreign government, for	oreign political party, or other foreign prin	cipal Yes 🗷	No E
Directed by a foreign government,	foreign political party, or other foreign pri	incipal Yes 🗹	No [
Controlled by a foreign governmen	nt, foreign political party, or other foreign	principal Yes 🇹	No E
Financed by a foreign government	, foreign political party, or other foreign pr	rincipal Yes 🕱	No 🗆
Subsidized in whole by a foreign g	overnment, foreign political party, or othe	r foreign principal Yes 🗆	No 🗷
Subsidized in part by a foreign gov	ernment, foreign political party, or other f	oreign principal Yes 🛣	No E
9. Explain fully all items answered "Yes"	" in Item 8(b). (If additional space is neede	ed, a full insert page may be used.)	
operates just as an Americ (and it does) and must rep development of new product	nt of its stock is owned by the an corporation does, i.e., it ay to the French Government fus. Its regular operations are ne of whom are French Government	is expected to make a prof nds advance to it for the responsibility of its	
10. If the foreign principal is an organizatio foreign principal, state who owns a	n and is not owned or controlled by a foreign nd controls it.	n government, foreign political party or	other
Date of Exhibit A	Name and Title	Signature	
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#### U.S. Department of Justice

Washington, DC 20530

Exhibit B

To Registration Statement

OMB No. 1905-0007 Approval Expires Nov. 30, 1993

Under the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended

INSTRUCTIONS: A registrant must furnish as an Exhibit B copies of each written agreement and the terms and conditions of each oral agreement with his foreign principal, including all modifications of such agreements; or, where no contract exists, a full statement of all the circumstances by reason of which the registrant is acting as an agent of a foreign principal. This form shall be filed in triplicate for each foreign principal named in the registration statement and must be signed by or on behalf of the registrant.

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Name of Registrant

Name of Foreign Principal

Societe Nationale d'Etude et de

Meredith Concept Group, Inc.

Construction de Moteurs d'Aviation

### Check Appropriate Boxes:

- 1. The agreement between the registrant and the above-named foreign principal is a formal written contract. If this box is checked, attach three copies of the contract to this exhibit.
- 2. There is no formal written contract between the registrant and foreign principal. The agreement with the above-named foreign principal has resulted from an exchange of correspondence. If this box is checked, attach three copies of all pertinent correspondence, including a copy of any initial proposal which has been adopted by reference in such correspondence.
- 3. The agreement or understanding between the registrant and the foreign principal is the result of neither a formal written contract nor an exchange of correspondence between the parties. If this box is checked, give a complete description below of the terms and conditions of the oral agreement or understanding, its duration, the fees and the expenses, if any, to be received.

4. Describe fully the nature and method of performance of the above indicated agreement or understanding.

The registrant fulfills its obligations to the foreign principal through conversations and correspondence with the principal, through conversations with the appropriate U.S. authority, and the preparation and submission of medioranda, reports, etc., concerning the marketing of the CFM56 aircraft engine manufactured by the foreign principal.

5. Describe fully the activities the registrant engages in or	proposes to engage in on behalf of the above foreign principal.
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The registrant is engaged principally in advising and assisting the foreign principal in efforts to conclude and or extend agreements with the U.S. Department of Defense with respect to procurement of the CFM56 engine by the U.S. military services and allies of the United States. The registrant keeps the principal informed on a timely basis concerning U.S. legislation, regulations, and requirements which could have an impact on the procurement and utilization of the CFM56 engine by the United States and its allies.

6. Will the activities on behalf of the above foreign principal include political activities as defined in Section 1(o) of the Act?¹
Yes No □

If yes, describe all such political activities indicating, among other things, the relations, interests or policies to be influenced together with the means to be employed to achieve this purpose.

A portion of the registrant's activities may include contacts with members of the United States Congress and with their staffs with respect to the legislation and prospective legislation involving procurement and utilization of the CFM56 aircraft engine. Contacts may be made with members of the Executive Branch for the same purpose. The means of contact may be by letters, reports, memoranda, etc., and personal conference.

Date of Exhibit B Name and Title Signature

Political activity as defined in Section 1(o) of the Act means the dissemination of political propaganda and any other activity which the person engaging therein believes will, or which he intends to, prevail upon, indoctrinate, convert, induce, persuade, or in any other way influence any agency or official of the Government of the United States or any section of the public within the United States with reference to formulating, adopting, or changing the domestic or foreign policies of the United States or with reference to the political or public interests, policies, or relations of a government of a foreign country or a foreign political party.

## **CONSULTANCY AGREEMENT**

#### between

SOCIETE NATIONALE D'ETUDE ET DE CONSTRUCTION DE MOTEURS D'AVIATION, whose head office is 2 boulevard du Général Martial Valin, 75724 Paris Cedex 15, France,

hereinafter called "Snecma",

represented by Mr. Jean Pierre COJAN, Vice President Marketing,

and

MEREDITH CONCEPT GROUP INC., whose head office is Barrister Square, 108-A South Columbus Street, Alexandria, Virginia. 22314, U.S.A.

hereinafter called "the Meredith Group",

represented by Ms. Sandy Meredith.

# **ARTICLE 1 - PURPOSE OF THIS AGREEMENT**

Snecma hereby appoints the Meredith Group as its non exclusive constant for the support of the KC/RC135 reengining programs with CFM56, within USAF/DOB/Congress in coordination with General Electric/Boeing Washington offices.

# ARTICLE 2 - OBLIGATIONS OF THE MEREDITH ONOUS

2.1 The Meredith Group mission shall be to advise Snecma in relation with the purpose of this Agreement, pursuant to a detailed action plan submitted to Snecma.

Furthermore, the Meredith Group undertakes to regularly report in writing on its activities within this mission. The periodicity of such reports will be set out by mutual consent of the Parties.

The reports supplying all information to be communicated to Snecma will be sent by the Meredith Group to:

Mr. André POUILLE General Manager Government Sales Snecma Marketing and Sales Site de Melun-Montereau Aérodrome de Villaroche B.P. 1936 - 77019 Melun Cedex (France)

- 2.2 Such mission is limited to one thousand two hundred fifty (1,250) working hours for the period starting from January 1st, 1996 and ending December 31st, 1996.
- 2.3 It is understood that the Meredith Group is in no way the legal representative or agent or employee of Snecma for any purpose whatsoever and will have no right or authority to assume or create, in writing or otherwise, any obligation of any kind, expressed or implied, in the name of or on behalf of Snecma.

### **ARTICLE 3 - OBLIGATIONS OF SNECMA**

#### Snecma undertakes:

- to pay the Meredith Group the compensation set out in Article 6 hereof,
- to supply the Meredith Group with all the documentation which is reasonably necessary to enable it to fulfil its mission set forth in Article 2.

#### ARTICLE 4 - SECRECY OF THE DOCUMENTATION

The Meredith Group undertakes to treat in a strictly confidential way all documentation and information which Snecma will be led to communicate to it during the term of this Agreement and which are not specifically intended to be disclosed to USAF/DOD and/or Congress.

This obligation shall remain in force for five (5) years after expiration or termination of this Agreement.

After expiration or termination of this Agreement for any reason, the Meredith Group undertakes to return all documentation supplied to it by Snecma.

## **ARTICLE 5 - EXCLUSIVITY - NON COMPETITION**

As long as this Agreement remains in force and during one (1) year after its expiration or termination, the Meredith Group shall refrain from working as consultant or representant for companies whose activities could be judged by Snecma, in its sole opinion, as a competitor for the KC/RC135/CFM56 reengining program. In case of breach of this provision, Snecma shall

be entitled to terminate this Agreement forthwith and to withhold any compensation which could be due to the Meredith Group hereunder.

# **ARTICLE 6 - COMPENSATION**

As a fixed compensation for the services rendered under this Agreement, Snecma undertakes to pay to the Meredith Group one hundred sixty US Dollars (US\$ 160) per working hour, within the limit of one thousand two hundred fifty (1,250) working hours set forth in Article 2 hereof.

Such compensation also covers any routine costs or expenses incurred by the Meredith Group in performing this Agreement. However, Snecma will reimburse the Meredith Group all approved exceptional expenses incurred on behalf of Snecma, such as, long distance phone calls, travel and reception expenses, provided that such expenses shall not exceed fifteen thousand US dollars (US\$ 15,000).

6.2 Snecma shall pay the Meredith Group at the beginning of each month, after receipt of an invoice for the working hours actually performed during the past month.

The monthly expenses will be reimbursed on the same way upon receipt of an invoice including all necessary justification of said expenses.

Payments will be made in compliance with the fiscal obligations imposed either by the internal law of France or by the fiscal conventions entered into or to come between the U.S.A and France.

### **ARTICLE 7 - DURATION**

- 7.1 This Agreement shall become effective after its signature by both Parties with retroactive effect as of January 1st, 1996.
- 7.2 This Agreement shall remain valid till December 31st, 1996.
- 7.3 Upon expiration or termination of this Agreement pursuant to Article 8 hereunder, the Meredith Group shall not be entitled to receive any compensation whatsoever, other than due under Article 6 hereof.

#### **ARTICLE 8 - TERMINATION**

This Agreement may be terminated at any time by either Party upon a two (2) month written notice. Such termination shall not entitle the Meredith Group to any compensation, save the payment of invoices for work actually performed before the effective date of the termination.

# ARTICLE 9 - APPLICABLE LAW - DISPUTES

Any provision of this Agreement which would be contrary to U.S. legislation or regulation in force at the time of signature of this Agreement or coming into force thereafter, shall be deemed null and void. If such provision is not considered by Snecma as determinant for the signature of this Agreement, the validity of the other provisions of this Agreement shall not be affected. If Snecma determines that such provision was essential, the Agreement shall be terminated forthwith and the Meredith Group shall not be entitled to any compensation whatsoever.

This Agreement shall be governed by the law of Switzerland.

All disputes arising in connection with this Agreement shall be finally settled under the Rules of Conciliation and Arbitration of the International Chamber of Commerce by one or more arbitrators appointed in accordance with the said Rules.

All arbitration procedures or hearings shall take place in Geneva, Switzerland.

The arbitration award shall be final and binding on both Parties, and each of the Parties shall accept it as binding and enforceable at any Court, and shall waive any claim or appeal whatsoever against it.

# **ARTICLE 10 - PREVIOUS AGREEMENTS**

The terms and conditions set out herein represent the entire agreement between the Parties relating to the subject hereof t and supersede all prior agreements, statements and understandings, whether oral or in writing, as far as they relate to the same subject.

The Meredith Group acknowledges that the services contemplated in this Agreement were previously performed by other consultants. Therefore, the Meredith Group (i) hereby represents that Snecma does not incur any liability by now contracting with the Meredith Group and (ii) shall hold Snecma harmless from any costs or compensation whatsoever in the event a claim is asserted against Snecma for this reason..

Done in two original copies

For Snecma

For the Meredith Group

Date: Fch 28/96

Sardra k. Meredit President Date: Feb. 23, 1996